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Corrigendum

Annex II, Confidentiality, Rule 4

Replace the existing text of Rule 4, by the following text:

Rule 4
Duty to preserve confidentiality

1. The deliberations of the Commission and subcommissions on all submissions made in accordance with article 76, paragraph 8, of the Convention shall take place in private and remain confidential.

2. Only members of the subcommission and, if necessary, specialists appointed in accordance with rule 55 shall take part in the subcommission deliberations on submissions. The Secretary and other members of the staff of the Secretariat as may be required shall be present. No other person shall be present except by permission of the subcommission.

3. Any records of the Commission and subcommission deliberations on all submissions shall contain only the title or nature of the subjects or matters discussed and the results of any vote taken. They shall not contain any details of the discussions or the views expressed, provided, however, that any member is entitled to require that a statement made by him be inserted in the records.

4. The members of the Commission shall not disclose, even after they cease to be members, any confidential information coming to their knowledge by reason of their duties in relation to the Commission.

5. The duty of the members of the Commission not to disclose confidential information constitutes an obligation in respect of the individual's membership in the Commission.

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